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AND GENETIC SEQUENCES ENCODING THE SAME

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated September 27, 2002, be extended for five months to and including March 27, 2003.

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Respectfully submitted,

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